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Amendments to the Specification

Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 46, please replace the paragraph that starts on line 17 with the word "Examples" and ends on line 22 with the word "resulted" with the following amended paragraph:

Examples 27-29 having the compositions shown in Table 5 were prepared as described above in Method 1 of "General Preparation of Heat-Curable Adhesive Compositions." For Example 29 [[27]], core-shell type particles were blended, one spatula-size portion at a time, into the solution using the above-mentioned disk impeller. This step took place after allowing the solution to cool to room temperature following the addition of the thermoplastic. An opaque dispersion resulted.

Support for this amendment can be found in Table 5 on page 47 describing the compositions of Examples 27-29. Note that the core shell polymer is only present in Example 29 and that the total parts by weight for each row is 100.